Docket No. 03161.001378.

· In re Application of:

DAVID BERTRAND

Application No.: 10/773,015

Filed: February 5, 2004

For: METHOD OF DETERMINING COMPONENTS

OF FORCES EXERTED ON A TIRE AND

DETERMINING THE SELF-ALIGNMENT TORQUE

Examiner: Xiuqin Sun

Group Art Unit: 2863

Date: January 20, 2006

Mail Stop Amendment COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final Action in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 16	MINUS	** 20	= 0	x \$25 \$50	\$0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 4	MINUS	*** 4	= 0	x \$100 \$200	\$0.00	
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360 \$0.0							
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$0.00	

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	Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.					
	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.					
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.					
X	A check in the amount of \$_120.00\$ to cover the fee for a one-month extension is enclosed.					
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.					
X	Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.					
	Respectfully submitted,					
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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2005 by one month, to and including February 6, 2006. A check in the amount of \$120.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205. The specification changes begin at page 2, the claim changes are reflected in the listing that begins at page 4, and the Remarks begin at page 11.

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